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CAROLEO HEADS CANCER CRUSADE

American Cancer Society has announced the appointment of Vincent R. Caroleo to serve as Agawam Chairman of the Cancer Crusade. Mr. Caroleo heads the residential, special gifts, and business solicitations divisions of the drive with subcommittee chairmen serving in each of these three divisions.

Mr. Caroleo is a former Selectman in the town of Agawam, has



VINCENT R. CAROLEO

served as administrative secretary to Gov. John Volpe, president of Independent Fence Co., a director of the South End Community Center, active in Unico, Lions and Rotary Clubs.

Mr. Caroleo said today, "I have accepted the challenge of serving as chairman for this worthy cause, knowing that each and every person in Agawam will be helping in some capacity during the month of April to wipe out this dreadful disease. We can only do this by raising money that our scientists may keep working toward the solution of cancer."

"April is the target month and is set aside each year as Cancer Month by an Act Of Congress and by Presidential Proclamation. "When your volunteer calls, please welcome them as they are volunteering their services that you may have the opportunity of sharing with them in this worth-"

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Woman's Club Banquet April 13

To Be Held at Agawam Motor Lodge

"Happy Holiday Time" is the theme for the annual Agawam Women's Club banquet Monday, April 13th. The banquet will be held at the Agawam Motor Lodge at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Edmund Govoni, banquet chairman and her committee have planned an entertaining evening for club members. There will be no business meeting. Following the dinner the drama group under the direction of Mrs. Raymond Orr, Jr. will present a skit.

A choice may be had of either a chicken or roast beef dinner. Reservations must be made by Friday, April 3rd with any committee member.

Assisting Mrs. Govoni on the banquet are Mrs. Carl Wilbur, Mrs. Erwin Werthamer, Mrs. E. Leslie Hill, Mrs. John Boldebrook, Mrs. Henry Dickinson and Mrs. Ernest Reed.

Drama committee members are Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Warren Roberts and Mrs. Marge Pelley.

Concert Postponed

The concert featuring Geneva Thompson Harrison, soprano, has been postponed due to the illness of Miss Harrison who is confined to Springfield Hospital. The concert was scheduled for Friday, April 17, in the Agawam Baptist Church.

Plans will be made for the concert to take place at a later date and will be announced. The concert is sponsored by the Springfield Chapter of Girl Friends, Inc., and the Agawam Baptist Church.

HOME SHOW APRIL 15-19

The "standing room only" sign has been hung out so far as exhibit space in the 1964 Home Show is concerned, according to Wesley J. Souliere, general chairman of the annual event sponsored by the Home Builders Association of Greater Springfield.

"Response to this year's show—which will be held at Exposition Park April 15-19—has been far above our expectations," Mr. Souliere said, "with the result that we have more than 175 exhibitors displaying their products in 296 booths."

The 11th annual Home Show sponsored by the area builders organization will commemorate the Silver Jubilee of the group.

Show sales manager Dick Curtis told show officials that there will be a wide variety of top flight displays in the Show. "Every phase of the home building industry and its allied lines will be represented," he said. "Furthermore, since this is the 11th anniversary of shows under sponsorship of the Home Builders, as well as the organization's Silver Jubilee, there will be added special features underscoring this aspect of the promotion."

Show hours for the general public will be 6 to 10:30 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and from 1 to 10:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Twins Mothers' Club Fashion Show Apr. 20

Mrs. Roland Savcie, chairman of the fashion show to be sponsored by the Hampden County Mother of Twins Club has announced that the following children have been selected for our "Spring Into Fashion" show:

The Feyre quads: Maureen, Margaret, Robert and James; The Yabor twins: June and Janice; The Fecowicz twins: Robert and Richard and The Lutat twins: Michael and Mary Ann.

This show will be held, Monday, April 20th at 7 p.m. in the Auditorium at Forbes and Wallace. Tickets are available and may be purchased from club members. All proceeds will help boost our scholarship fund.

Jr. Women's Banquet Deadline April 10

Mrs. Joseph Mendes, chairman of the Agawam Junior Women's Club annual banquet announced Friday, April 10th is the final day for reservations. The banquet and dance will be held on Saturday evening, April 18th, at the Agawam Motor Lodge with a social hour at 6:30 and dinner at 7:30.

Members, husbands and guests are urged to make reservations with Mrs. Mendes today.

Regional Chairman



GERALDINE SCHILLING

Miss Geraldine Schilling of Cooper St., Agawam, has been appointed regional chairman of the Greater Springfield area for the Boston University's seventh annual Alumni Giving Program.

She will be assisted by the following local alumni who will serve as team captains: Ralph Russomando, John Gibson, Anthony Serafino, Jr., William Roberts and Samuel Marsella all of Springfield and Edmund Madden of East Longmeadow.

YMCA Attic Treasures Auction

Agawam YMCA is sponsoring a second annual Attic Treasures Auction to be held on Saturday, the 25th, at Agawam Armory from 10 a.m. on. Browsers are welcome to come at 9 with 50 surprise gifts to be presented to the first 50 guests to arrive. A special list of patrons is announced today by Mrs. Leslie Moore, Jr., chairman. The Patrons committee was formed to aid and assist the general committee and the event itself, and are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adams, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin S. Basani, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benoit, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent R. Caroleo, Selectman and Mrs. Raymond Charest, Mr. and Mrs. James Chandler, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Santo Cannarella, Mr. and

'Y' Establishes Endowment and Trust Fund At Valley Bank

John Magovern, chairman of The Board of Trustees of the Agawam Community YMCA, had announced the establishment of a Trust and Endowment Fund between the YMCA and the Valley Bank and Trust Company.

The purpose of the Fund will be to allow those who wish to make gifts, bequests, or other contributions of a memorial or general nature for the benefit of long-range aspects of the "Y" Development Program in our

community.

Monies have already been received in memory of Nelson Trevallion and George LaVoice, also a Trustee amount has been established in honor of Bruce Vorperian, son of the recent director of the local Y.

Further information on this program is available either from Mr. Magovern, any member of the Board of Trustees, Officers and directors of the Agawam Community YMCA.

National Library Week April 12-18

"Reading is the Key" is the slogan for National Library Week this year, April 12-18. The Agawam Public Libraries, like libraries throughout the country, will observe it. There will be an exhibit of books at the Agawam Branch of S.I.S. and exhibits of new books in each library.

There will be a coffee hour at each library. The Board of Trustees and the Library Staff hope that many Agawam residents will visit the libraries and partake of our coffee and cookies. Following are the dates and hours:

Feeding Hills Library, Tuesday, April 14, 2:30-4 p.m. Mrs. Clayton Fuller and Mrs. Patrick

Shea will pour.

North Agawam Library, Wednesday, April 15, 7-8:30 p.m. Mrs. Kenneth Grady and Mrs. James Grady will pour.

Agawam Center Library, Friday, April 17, 2:30-4 p.m. Miss Clara McVeigh and Miss Jennette Bodurtha will pour.

The following are in charge of arrangements: Mrs. William Keough and Mrs. Benjamin Deliso of the Board of Library Trustees, Mrs. Thomas Hess of the Agawam Center Library Association Board of Trustees, Mrs. Robert Hall, Mrs. Robert Cobb, also, Mrs. Earl Benjamin, Mrs. Joseph McMahon, Miss Shirley Richard and Miss Frances Sanford of the library staff.

"Y" High School Dance Saturday With "Real Beatles"

The Agawam YMCA hosts a high school dance every Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the Robinson Park Elementary School.

The "Real Beatles" will be featured at the fun-filled dance this Saturday, April 11. "Greek" Kle-nakis, John O'Keefe, Eddie "Brute" Harashuk, and Al Bonavita will perform the latest Beatles hits!

For the small admission fee much fun and dancing is enjoyed. It is really a shame that more high school students do not attend the dances and get to mingle with their classmates. So, high-schoolers take advantage of this community affair designed for you! That's Saturday night at the Robinson School!

To Enter State College

Miss Susan Jane Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bates of 986 North West St., Feeding Hills, has been notified of her acceptance to Westfield State College by Dean Edward B. Welch. Miss Bates plans to major in elementary education at the college.

She is secretary of the Future Teachers Association and a member of the Drama, Biology, French and Personality Clubs at the Agawam High School.

New Assignment



Airman Third Class, Edward E. Leal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Poirier of 1132 Springfield St., Feeding Hills, is home on furlough after completing basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. Edward is a graduate of Agawam High School class of '62. He will report on April 10th. to Columbia Air Force Base, Mississippi.

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CHURCH NEWS

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin T. Lockhart, Pastor
Mrs. Frank Merchant, Organist - Choir Director
Mrs. Barbara Briggs, Church Secretary

THURSDAY: 6:30 p.m. Choral Choir rehearse at church; 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearse at church.

SUNDAY: 9 and 11:10 a.m. TWO MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES...Rev. Lockhart will preach both services. Celestial Choir sing first service and Senior choir sing second service. A Building Fund Committee member, Harold Stanton, will speak at both services; 9:30 and 10 a.m. Church School for all; 4 to 7 p.m. Second session of the School of Missions held at church. Following supper at 5 p.m. a special program presented in Sanctuary.

TUESDAY: 10 a.m. Searchlighters meet at home of Mrs. Ralph Webster; 6:30 p.m. Mother-Daughter Banquet of the United Women's Fellowship in Fellowship House. Mrs. Thyra Bjorn will be guest speaker. All mothers and daughters are invited and reservations may be made today with Mrs. Jeanne Webster, Mrs. Evelyn Abell, or Mrs. Dorothy Thorpe.

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading

Post open; 3 p.m. Melody Choir rehearse at church; 7 p.m. ABC Bell Ringers rehearse at church; 8 p.m. Building Fund Committee meet at church.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. Andrew G. Toussaint, Minister of Music
 Thursday—12 noon Ladies Aid noon luncheon; 7:30 p.m. Annual Church meeting.

Friday — 7 p.m. Boy Scouts; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal.

Saturday 8:45 a.m. Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:45 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday—9 a.m. Church School Nursery-Grade 6; 10 a.m. Church School Grades 7-12; 10 a.m. Adult Bible Class; 11 a.m. Church Nursery-Grade 6; 9 and 11 a.m. Church at Morning Worship... Sermon by Rev. Bryan; 5:30 p.m. Junior Pilgrim Fellowship meeting; 7 p.m. Senior Pilgrim Fellowship meeting.

Monday — 8 p.m. Friendly Workers meeting.

Tuesday — 6:30 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar
 Friday: 10 a.m. Meeting of Diocesan Altar Guild; 3:15 p.m.

Junior Choir practice.

Saturday: 9 a.m. Confirmation instruction.

Sunday: Services 8 a.m.-10 a.m.-7 p.m.

Monday: 8 p.m. Church School Teachers meeting.

Tuesday: 7 p.m. Cub Scout area meeting.

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Senior choir practice.

FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney
Mrs. Fred Nardi, Sr. Organist
Mrs. D. Myer, Jr. Choir Director

Thursday—7 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Church School; 9:30 a.m. Senior High Seminar in parsonage; 11 a.m. Worship Service and Nursery for children; 5:15 p.m. Junior High Senior High Students session #2 in the Lay Memorial Methodist Church.

Monday—7:15 p.m. Board of Deacons and Deaconesses in the Spear Room. 8 p.m. WSCS meeting...Guest speaker Rev. James Gettemy.

Tuesday—3:30 p.m. Girl Scout troop #557 in Griswold Hall.

Wednesday — 3:30 p.m. Girl Scout troop #59 in Griswold Hall.

LAY MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister
Mrs. H. Binns, Organist
Mrs. M. Keyes, Sr. Choir Director
Mrs. R. Ashton, Jr. Choir Director

Friday — 6:15 p.m. Bowling teams at West Side alleys.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 9:30 and 11 a.m. Worship Services; 6:30 Junior and Senior MYF meetings.

Wednesday — 7 p.m. Senior choir practice at church; 8:15 p.m. Bible Study at church.

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Dunn, Guest Minister
Mrs. John Cesan, Secretary
Mrs. John MacPherson
Mrs. Harry Prior, Music Directors

Thursday — 7:30 p.m. Choir

More Workers

For JFK Fund

Approximately one third of Agawam homes are being canvassed by volunteer workers for the John F. Kennedy Memorial Library. The drive is being conducted by a committee headed by Robert DeForge, Scroll chairman.

The following citizens have joined the door-to-door solicitation: Mrs. Harry Leonardi, Norma McMahon, Norma Mutti, Lucille Remington, Marion Mills, Mrs. George Shepard, Mrs. Thomas Hayes, Mrs. Henry Lucas, Mrs. Dorothy Menard, Loris Monachesi, Horace Troie, Mrs. Philip Denning, Theresa Daudelin, Eva Sullivan, Margaret Coffey, Mrs. Thomas Morrissey, Pamela DeForge.

Also, Mrs. John Teahan, Mrs. William Gazillo, Mrs. Frederick Emerson, Mrs. Louise Miller, Clifford White, Mrs. Paul Query, Mrs. Philip DeForge, Thomas O'Keefe, Mrs. Joseph Harrington, Mrs. Dominic Tangredi, Victor Ramah, Mrs. James Doyle, Irving Lafleur, Larry Charest, Mrs. David Stratton, Mary Turner, Mrs. Anthony Raschi, Eleanor Menard, James O'Keefe, Jr., Tina Caddon, Arthur Zavarella, Dorcas Cirillo, Bernice Consolini, Arthur Sausville, Susan Zucco, Mrs. Bernard Tatro, George Gagliarducci, Mrs. Gustave Benoit, Marcia DellaGiustina and Charlotte Beaulieu.

Also Frederick Nardi, Marion Pond, Edward Connor, Margaret Henault, Peter Schindler, Joanne Morassi, William J. DeForge, James Slinky, Kathleen Meredith, Mrs. Conrad Phillips, Dorothy Chmielewski, Gloria Choiniere, Richard Morassi, Joyce Rackliffe, Lorin Geoffrion, Betty Guidi, Madeline Gibson, Mary Acquaro, Mrs. Theodore Carpenter, Jeannette Carmody, Mrs. Joseph O'Connor, Mary Cima, Shirley Sweeney, Mrs. Charles

rehearsal at the MacPhersons. Friday—7:30 p.m. Bible Study Class at Storowton Church.

Sunday — 11 a.m. Worship Service at Storowton Church at Eastern States Exposition grounds; Sunday School classes in session...Nursery for very small fry; 6:30 p.m. Youth organization meeting.

Monday — Friendly Circle meeting at MacPherson's.

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The Scroll committee chairman Robert DeForge and the general committee consisting of Alda Bedard, Shirley Emerson, Jessie Boyer, Frank Chriscola and Raymond Charest will meet next Wednesday.

VWWI CARD

PARTY WINNERS

The first game in the new series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held last Wednesday night in the National Guard Armory on Maynard Street. Winners of Door prizes were: Ray Willard, Elizabeth McCarthy, John Bacon and Mrs. F. Cram.

Mystery prize winners were: Florence Steere, Marian Randall, and Carl Carrier. Iona LaRae won the ladies' Ace prize, and Les Newcomb was the winner for the men.

The following score prizes were awarded: Ladies—1st Katherine Cleary, 2nd Ida Gillette, 3rd Viola Thayer and consolation Sue McCarthy; Men — 1st Chris Schnaitman, 2nd James Cleary, 3rd Les Newcomb and consolation George Pierce.

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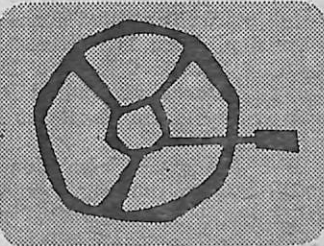
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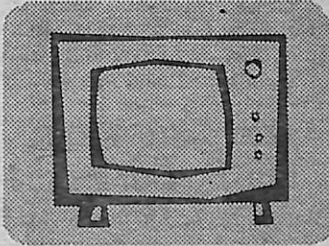
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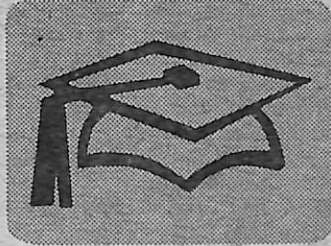
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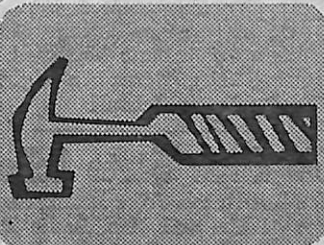
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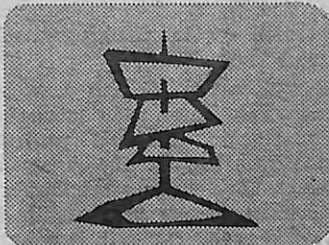
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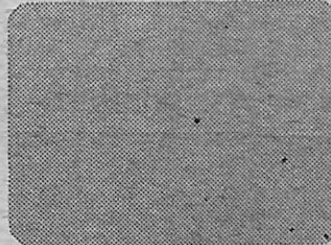
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Round The Town



By Ann Nael
phone ST 8-8996

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jaycox of Carr Ave., Agawam, have returned from a two month vacation at Jensen Beach, Florida. Mrs. Wotowic, of Chicopee, mother of Mrs. Jaycox was their guest during the Florida visit. Mr. Edward Wotowic also enjoyed two weeks vacation as their guest. The Jaycox party enjoyed many fishing and sailing trips.

Miss Robin Stewart, a freshman at Boston University, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Stewart of Edgewater Road. They accompanied her back to Boston on Easter Sunday to attend a concert that evening given at Old South Church, that city,

by the Choral Art Society of Boston University, of which Miss Stewart is a soprano member. This group recently made an extended tour of New York and Maryland, doing concerts in several cities.

Miss Joyce Drzyzga of Lealand Ave., Agawam, was hostess Tuesday evening in her home at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Janice Goodhue. Attending were twenty-five guests all classmates and graduates of Bay Path Junior College. Miss Goodhue will be married on April 25th to Mr. Albert Rotondi of Boston. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David M. Goodhue of Converse St., Longmeadow.

Richard Farina, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Farina of 1278 Suffield St., Agawam, was entertained at a birthday party honoring his seventh year. Guests were his class mates in the first grade at South Street School.

David Brayton son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brayton of 398 North Westfield St., Feeding

Hills, was guest of honor at a family dinner party celebrating his 16th birthday on March 6th.

Frank (Mushy) Grasso, Leo Vergnani, Nim. Shibley and Louis Gonet are leaving by private plane Friday for Acapulco, Mexico for two weeks of fishing and sight seeing. The group also expects to see some bull fighting.

Caroleo . . .

(Continued from Page 1) while cause. "I thank each and every one working on the general committees of this drive for their help and participation, and especially do I thank each citizen of the town for any help they can extend to the drive.

"The house-to-house phase of the drive will be held on April 21 from 6 until 8.30 p.m., under the direction of Mrs. Wyly Brame, chairman. Residents are asked to leave their porch lights on that evening.

Meade Aboard Aircraft Carrier

USS INDEPENDENCE (FH-TNC) — Michael A. Meade, airman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Meade, of 252 Silver St., Agawam, returned to Norfolk, Va., March 4 aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Independence completing a tour of duty with the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

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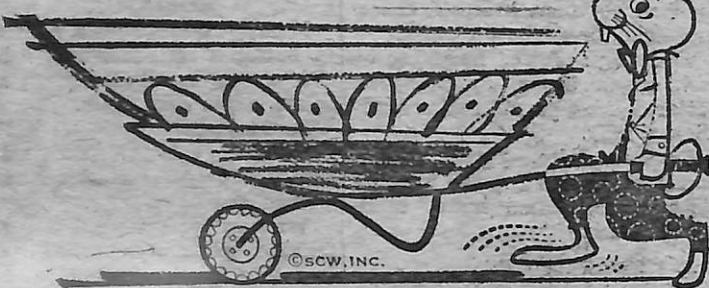
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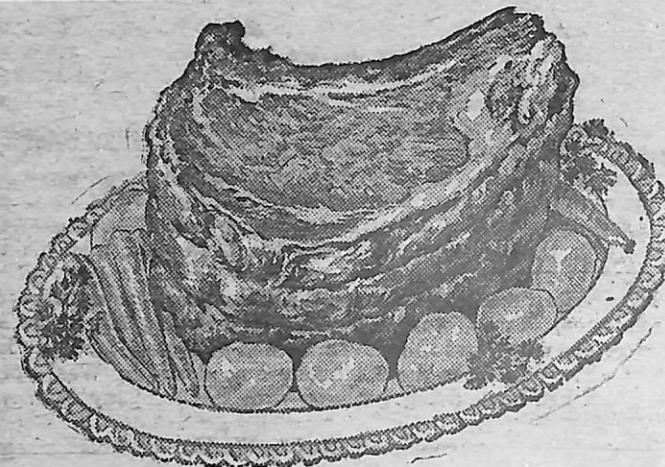
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TROLLEY CARS

(part 2)



By Edith LaFrancis

The West Springfield and Agawam Street Railway was granted the first franchise for trolley service in Agawam and deposited a performance guarantee of \$2000 in the Pynchon National Bank. For some reason they defaulted. Agawam tried to collect the money, but before the time of forfeiture expired the company brought suit to get it back. The court issued an injunction against removal of the money from the bank. The court referred the case to an auditor and the next year it was under consideration by the Supreme Court. It was settled in 1903. The town report says that "The court decided favorably to the trustees and \$1500 has been paid into the town treasury."

Meanwhile three petitions for the franchise were considered by the selectmen. Two from the Hartford and Springfield Street Railway were dismissed and the one from the Springfield Street Railway granted. The selectmen were influenced no doubt by West Springfield, which had been doing business with the company for several years.

Some of the townspeople objected to the idea of trolleys because of probable expense to the town and because the installation of tracks and poles would spoil the looks of the street. The selectmen went ahead nevertheless.

The contract with the Pittsburg Bridge Co., included a temporary bridge to be built on the site of the covered bridge which had been destroyed by fire. This wooden trestle bridge lasted six months, and high water "removed" it. The steel bridge was finally finished and the trolley rails laid across it. The trolley company paid part of the cost of the bridge, reconstructed the small Whitman Bridge at the south end and laid track to the Suffield line.

The town report for year ending March 9, 1901 states:—

"The Springfield Company has caused the town no expense in building, on the contrary, have improved the street wonderfully in many places, by cutting, widening and building railings; they also have expended a large sum of money on Whitman Bridge which sooner or later the town would have been called upon to expend. A large section of the main walls and two wing walls have been taken down and rebuilt much heavier than before. 3.77 miles were in operation Sept. 30, so that we received excise tax upon the same amounting to \$825.95." Whitman Bridge was used safely a few years later by freight cars loaded with traprock for construction of Riverside swimming pool.

Double tracks were installed from Cooper St. to Meadow St., (Todd's turnout) and from Leonard St., to the Gin Mill. On summer days, five and six cars at a time could be seen waiting on these turnouts for an equal number to go by in the opposite direction. Before autos were in general use, a trip to Riverside was either by boat or trolley. The large open cars held quite a crowd and the two runningboards were usually festooned with young men clinging to the supports with one hand and to their straw hats with the other. While the cars were waiting on the turnout, these riders descended their precarious perch and often wandered into a nearby garden for a flower with which to adorn a lapel. There was always a good deal of singing and noise, especially on Saturday and Sunday, so that people living on Main St., were glad for the quiet of Monday morning.

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ROUTE 1

Monday, Apr. 13 — Arnold Broz, Carmen Ave., Cleveland, Coronet Cir., Frances, Gale, Grant, Hall, Harding, Homer, James, Letendre Ave., Liberty, McKinley, Maynard, Norman, Norman Ter. Ext., North, Oak Ln., Robin Lane, Sherman Ave., Taft, Wilson, and Woodside Ter.

ROUTE 2

Tuesday, Apr. 14 — Acorn, Agnoli Pl., Annable, Aubudon, Bessbrook, Chapin, Cherry, Colemore, Daniel, Day, Eastern Ave., Fenton, Franklin, Fruwirth Ave., Greenock, Hasting, Horsham Pl., Lenox, Lincoln, Line, Mooreland, Norwood, Oak, Park, Pierce, Portland Pl., Ralph, Ridgeway Dr., Sylvan Ln., Walton Ln., White, Wilbert Ter., Witheridge and Woodland St.

ROUTE 3

Wednesday, Apr. 15 — Begley, Birchwood Ter., Bridge, Brookside Pl., Church, Cooley, Cottage, Dwight, Ellington, George, High, Highland, Hillcrest Ave., Howard, King, King Ave., Laurel, Lexington, Maple, McGrath Ter., Moore, Mulberry, Oak Ave., Oak Hill Ave., Orchard, Ottawa, Pasadena, Prospect, River, Scherpa, Spencer, Spring, Summer, Tower Ter., Valley, Walnut, Walnut St. Ext. and Winthrop St.

ROUTE 4

Thursday, Apr. 16 — Belvedere, Brookline, Columbus, Giffin Pl., Greenacre Ln., Henry, Highland, Homestead Ave., Kensington, Mill, Norris, Northwood, Randall, Rhodes Ave., Rowley, Royal, Royal Ln., Springfield, and William St.

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govern, Mr. and Mrs. William McLellan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyers, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moltenbrey, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie J. Moore, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Naciewicz, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Keefe, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Jaine, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pisano, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Provo, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Zucco.

Serving on the general committee of arrangements are John Chriscola, general chairman, Fred Emerson, YMCA president, honorary chairman, Fred Affleck, personnel, Mrs. Thomas Danford, publicity and Ernest Swanson treasurer.

Many lovely antiques as well as household articles will be available on the day of the auction and the general public is cordially invited to attend. A poster contest held in conjunction with the auction has been judged and the winners will be announced April 25 with the winning posters on exhibition. George LaBombard has volunteered his services as auctioneer.

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Tuesday: Turkey a-la-king on hot buttered biscuit, butternut squash, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, raspberry squares, milk.

Wednesday: Veal cutlets w/creole sauce, mashed potato, buttered peas, bread/butter, lemon filled butter cake w/chocolate icing, milk.

Thursday: Shell macaroni w/meat balls, garden salad, bread/butter, peach half, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, potato chips, carrot/celery sticks, pickle slices, strawberry shortcake w/whipped cream, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, ham sandwiches w/tomatoes, lettuce, french fries, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Tuesday: Meat loaf, parsley potatoes, carrots, bread/butter, chocolate pudding, milk.

Wednesday: Pork and gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, chocolate cake, bread/butter, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on roll, green beans, apple sauce, butter cookies, peanut butter sandwiches, milk.

Friday: Juice, pizza, celery, carrot sticks, butter cake w/chocolate sauce, peanut butter sandwiches, milk.

DANAHY

Monday: Orange juice, hamburger and roll w/catsup cole slaw w/green peppers, gingerbread w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Macaroni w/meat-to-mato sauce, buttered green beans, peanut butter-jam sandwich, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, frankfurts and roll w/relish, mustard, buttered corn, pineapple upsidedown cake, milk.

Thursday: Roast turkey w/gravy, mashed potato, peas/carrots, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, ice cream cup, milk.

Friday: Tomato rice soup w/vegetables, egg salad sandwich, peanut butter-jam sandwich, celery-carrot sticks, apple, cookie, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Spaghetti/meat-to-mato sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, peanut butter sandwich, fruit cocktail, milk.

Tuesday: Citrus juice, grilled hamburger on roll, relish, catsup, peas, cheese fingers, apple crisp, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, submarine sandwich, cold cuts, lettuce, tomato, cheese cubes, potato chips, pumpkin pie, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg, mashed potato, corn, peanut butter-jelly sandwich, butter cake/strawberry frosting, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, green beans, cookies, applesauce, milk.

PEIRCE

Monday: Baked beans w/frankfurts rings, cole slaw w/grated carrots, hot corn bread or bread/butter, apple crisp w/cheese wedge, milk.

Tuesday: Oven brown pork slices, candied sweet potatoes, applesauce, jelly sandwich, pineapple up-side-down cake, milk.

Wednesday: Beef-vegetable soup w/noodles, bologna sandwich,

cheese wedge, orange/banana slices, milk.

Thursday: Tangerine juice, turkey pie w/biscuit topping, peas/carrots, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, peaches, milk.

Friday: Grilled cheese or tuna salad sandwich, stewed tomatoes, carrot stix, chocolate peanut butter cookies, fruit cup, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Juice, grilled frankfurts on buttered bun, relish, mustard, cheese wedge, buttered carrots, apple crisp, milk.

Tuesday: Beef and gravy on mashed potato, buttered cabbage, bread/butter, diced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Baked beans and frankfurts rings, tossed green salad, buttered corn bread, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Thursday: Grilled hamburger on buttered bun, onion slices, relish, buttered green beans, orange wedges, chocolate cake w/frosting, milk.

Friday: Spaghetti w/cheese-to-mato sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, peanut butter sandwich, fruit, cookie, milk.

ROBINSON

Monday: Orange juice, hamburger in buttered roll, mustard, relish, cheese sticks, buttered green beans, apple cake, milk.

Tuesday: Macaroni w/meat-to-mato sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, bread/butter, peanut butter sandwiches, fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday: Pork and gravy on mashed potato, buttered peas, bread/butter, peanut butter sandwiches, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Thursday: Juice, turkey soup w/vegetables, turkey salad sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, celery-carrot sticks, fresh apple, cookie, milk.

Friday: Orange-apricot juice, grilled cheese sandwich, tossed green salad w/spinach and tomato, potato chips, chocolate brownie, milk.

SOUTH

Monday: Orange juice, beef stew w/vegetables, crackers, celery sticks, peanut butter-honey sandwich, chocolate pudding w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Frankfurt in buttered roll, relish, mustard, buttered broccoli, cheese stick, mince-apple crisp, milk.

Wednesday: Baked macaroni w/meat-to-mato sauce, fruit slaw, buttered coffee cake, peaches, milk.

Thursday: Grape juice, baked corned beef hash-catsup, Harvard beets, jelly sandwich, vanilla-orange sherbet cup, milk.

Friday: Baked fish sticks, par-slied potatoes, buttered peas, buttered roll, sliced pineapple, milk.

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BIRTHS

BOYS

Feb. 29 — To Mr. and Mrs. George A. McCoubrey, 43 Clematis Rd., Agawam.

March 3 — To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kudelski of 110 Coronet Cir., Feeding Hills.

March 4 — To Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Borowiec of 30 Park View Dr., Feeding Hills.

March 8 — To Mr. and Mrs. Stanley R. Brown, 1324 Main St., Agawam.

March 9 — To Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Hardy, 2d, 848 North St., Feeding Hills.

March 14 — To Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Fogg of 22 Clematis St., Agawam.

March 16 — To Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sulborski, Jr., 22 Dover St., Agawam.

March 17 — To Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Breault of 66 Washington Ave., Agawam.

Mar. 19 — To Mr. and Mrs. Douglas J. Chevalier, 59 Alhambra Cir. Agawam.

GIRLS

Feb. 15 — To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dumont of 83 Channell Dr., Agawam.

March 2 — To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Agustyowicz, 132 Southwick St., Feeding Hills.

March 2 — To Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Bator, 56 Poinsettia St., Agawam.

March 3 — To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Lucia, Jr., of 777 Silver St., Agawam.

March 17 — To Mr. and Mrs. Emile Nolin of 30 Western Dr., Agawam.

March 18 — To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Read of 33 Cooper St., Agawam.

Baptist Church Takes Another Step Ahead

April has been designated as Building Fund Month at the Agawam Baptist Church. The Long Range Planning Committee of the church recommended at a church business meeting that four church needs needed to be seriously considered if the church was going to fulfill its present ministry and its future opportunities.

The four needs outlined are:

1. Better parking space; 2. More church school rooms; 3. A more adequate fellowship hall for greater family use; 4. An enlarged Sanctuary.

During the month of April preparations will be made looking toward the raising by pledges over three years of a challenge goal of \$100,000. Plans call for a congregational dinner later in the month and a visitation of the homes of the members and friends of the parish.

A plan and Construction Committee is now at work to find ways of fulfilling the needs mentioned. It is hoped that by the Spring of 1965 plans will be presented for final action and construction started following action. Friends of the church in our town are invited to participate in the great and wonderful opportunity of building a House of God.

Crouss Aboard USS Mt. Katmai

USS MOUNT KATMAI (FH-100) — Charles W. Crouss, machinist's mate fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Crouss of 241 Silver St., Agawam, is serving aboard the ammunition ship USS Mount Katmai, operating out of Concord, Calif.

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On next Saturday evening at the Agawam Sportsmen's Club, there will be a Booster Night for Bill Girotti, who is a candidate for election as 33-Y District Governor for the ensuing year. A buffet lunch will be served and dancing will be enjoyed.

The next regular meeting of the Agawam Lions Club will be Wednesday, April 15th, in the Junior high school cafeteria and gymnasium. This will be "Fathers and Daughters Night" and the entertainment procured by Chairman John Mercandante will be furnished by the Agawam Kennel Club Obedience Group with Roger Gagnon and Raymond Peat handling and commenting on the 10 to 15 dogs that will be on hand. This should be very interesting to the girls, also to their dads, and especially those who own a dog that pays no attention to commands.

At this same meeting, Bob Watson and his nominating committee will present a slate of candidates for office for the coming year. Nominations will also be made from the floor.

Election will be at the May 6th meeting, at which time the Club will make a tour of Westover Field starting at 5 p.m. Members will be contacted this week so reservations may be firmed up, and necessary preparations made by Westover folks for the buffet supper at the officer's club.

A testimonial dinner will be tendered to District Governor Dick Menzel, Jr. on April 25th at the Collegian Court Restaurant in Chicopee, and reservations must be in to Secretary Duane Stebbins not later than April 20th. Cost is \$5.00 each.

Peter A. Stone In Combat Drill

CAMP LEJEUNE, N. C. (FH-TNC) — Marine Private First Class Peter A. Stone, son of Mrs. Blanch G. Stone of 81 High St., Agawam, participated in a sea assault landing operation at Camp Lejeune, N. C., March 12 while serving with the First Battalion, Sixth Regiment, Second Marine Division, Fleet Marine Force, based at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

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By Bill Chiba

A list of all Bay State waters stocked with trout for the fishing season which opens April 18 may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Information and Education section, Division of Fisheries and Game Headquarters, Westboro, Mass. The list is also in the March-April issue of Massachusetts Wildlife magazine.

Tony Godek, the Quabbin lake slayer, presented to this writer the other day five improved streamer flies for taking Atlantic Salmon out of Miramichi. The flies look every bit as good as Tony claims them to be. We will have the story to tell when we return from the trip the latter part of this month. Bob Jacobs called the other night and is going to make the trip to New Brunswick with us. He went for the first time last year and the bug took hold. We are looking forward to a tremendous spring fishing adventure.

Open Water

All signs point to an early ice-out and better than ever salmon

fishing for Winnepesaukee and Winnisquam lakes in New Hampshire this spring. Ice-out, of course is dependent on the weather, but there was limited open water for the April 1st opening.

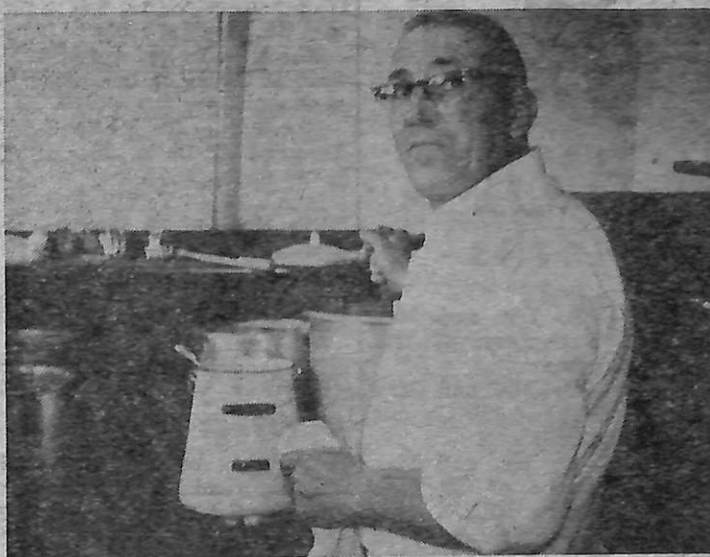
A prediction of "best-ever" fishing in these two major lakes is based on netting and creel census data collected since 1960 by biologists of the New Hampshire Fish and Game Department's Management and Research Division. Their records show that an increase in the fall netting catch has been followed by improved fishing the next spring. In the fall of 1962 the netting catch was excellent and anglers success in the spring of 1963 was considered one of the best ever experienced. Since two to three times as many salmon were netted this past fall as in 1962, it seems logical to expect that this spring's fishing will be the best in the history of the state.

The New England Outdoor Writers Association are holding their spring meeting on Winnepesaukee this year May 15, 16, and 17. We plan to attend and will try seriously to bring to net a few salmon. We also are planning to try the "Fly Fishing Only" stretch of river in the area for trout that you must release after catching them. This is a new experience for the State of New Hampshire, and we are anxious to give the pros and cons of the fishing venture. Mostly to note the amount of angler hours spent in this stretch of river. Time will tell whether the project will be successful or not.

New Converts

Sam Provo and his group that journeyed up to Lake St. John, Canada, last June were so con-

Perfection



Carlo Moccio was snapped putting the finishing touch to the sauce he created for the dinner he served last Saturday night to 115 Agawam Bowmen Club members and their friends at the St.

Anthony's Society Hall, Springfield St., Feeding Hills. Carlo's menus and culinary skill is hard to match. He may be contacted at his home, Garden Street, Feeding Hills.

E. Notini Aboard

USS Little Rock

USS LITTLE ROCK (FHT-NC) — Eugene J. Notini, gunner's mate second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gino Notini of 196 Meadow St., Agawam, is participating in an exercise called "Operation Springboard" while serving aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Little Rock in the Caribbean.

The operation, conducted annually by units of the Atlantic Fleet, takes advantage of the favorable Caribbean weather to conduct sea assault landings and flight training operations.

He will have an opportunity to visit St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands and Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico while in the Caribbean.

Little Rock normally operates out of Norfolk, Va.

R. Knight Awarded Speed Key Certificate

USS FARRAGUT (FHTNC) — Richard A. Knight, radioman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Knight of 45 Alfred St., Agawam, received a Speed Key Certificate March 21, while serving aboard the guided missile frigate USS Farragut, presently operating with the U. S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

The certificate authorizes him to operate the super-sensitive and delicately-balanced speed key in Sixth Fleet communication transmissions.

Holders of the certificate have proved their ability to transmit Morse Code at a rate of thirty words per minute without error, using the Speed Key set.

Before entering the Navy in October 1960, Knight attended Agawam High School.



COLLEGE NEWS

ROCKFORD COLLEGE

An Agawam resident, Charles C. McCobb, is serving as president of Men's House Council at Rockford College in Illinois.

McCobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCobb, 43 Elbert Road, was named to the post recently in an election by all male resident students at the independent college of liberal arts and sciences.

A graduate of Agawam High School, McCobb is a sophomore majoring in economics. He is also a member of the varsity golf team.

N. C. C.

President Richard D. Pickett of Northampton Commercial College recently announced that Donald J. Charest, son of Selectman and Mrs. Raymond Charest of 97 Silver St., Agawam, has been elected to the Student Council at N. C. C. Mr. Charest is a member of the freshman class is majoring in Business Management. He graduated from Agawam High School in '63 and was an honor roll student.

Specialist Pisano Serving in Germany

VII CORPS, GERMANY (AH-TNC) — Army Specialist Five Robert E. Pisano, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pisano, 595 Mill St., Feeding Hills, Mass., is serving as an ordnance repair specialist in Headquarters Battery of the 73d Artillery's 5th Battalion in Germany.

Specialist Pisano entered the Army in September 1961 and arrived overseas last October on this tour of duty.

He was graduated from Agawam High School in 1958 and worked for the W. T. Grant Co. in Springfield before entering the Army.

Peanut Butter

Back in 1890, the story goes, a St. Louis doctor searching for a protein-rich easy-to-digest food, ground the first peanuts to make peanut butter. Little did he good doctor guess it would become so popular that Americans would be eating 214,000 tons of peanut butter a year. And little did he think that America's children would turn down mother's best gourmet cooking in favor of peanut butter sandwiches!

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My Beat — A.H.S.

by Marsha Della-Giustina

The Future Teachers of America Club will honor Agawam High's faculty on Wednesday, the 15th. The tea will be held in the cafeteria after school Wednesday. Mr. Clark, Mr. Dacey, the AHS office staff, and over 60 teachers will meet the members of the FTA Club.

A week before the tea, invitations were sent to the honored guests. The invitations were designed by Adella Gagliarducci, chairman of the invitation committee. A white card bearing the FTA insignia in red and white announced the tea.

For the rest of this week, the main topic in Room 4 and the teacher's room is the tea! All preparations are in order for the awaited day!

When the faculty members enter the decorated cafeteria, they will be greeted by the club's officers and Miss Emily McCormick, the club's advisor. The officers are as follows: President, Marsha Della-Giustina; Vice President, Linda Barufaldi; Secretary, Susan Bates; Treasurer, Christine Jeserski.

The Future Teachers Club's many members are all involved in some phase of the tea. Helen Loneto is chairman of the decora-

tions committee while Donald Raiche heads the reception committee. Refreshments are under the supervision of Betsy Donovan and Irene Karakla is chairman of the clean-up committee.

The FTA Club is a very popular club at AHS. Its purpose is to bring the advantage and opportunities of the teaching field to the high school student. An installation banquet in May will end the club's successful year.

Stratford Honors Four Seniors
On Thursday, April 23, the world will celebrate William Shakespeare's 400th birthday. At Stratford, Conn., where many Shakespearean productions are presented. Shakespeare will be honored by 100 high schools. Agawam High has been selected to attend this affair. Miss Eleanor Miller, head of the English department, and four honor students will represent AHS in Stratford. The seniors are Carol Bartolucci, Robert Oppenheimer, Francis O'Leary, and Susan Colli. Alternates are Roger Tyler and Margaret Chicklas. Enjoy the production, seniors!!

Coming events: The Prom is to be held Friday, May 22! . . . The Shaker Farms will host the Class of '64 on May 29 for their banquet! . . . The sophomores will attend their "Roaring 20's" Class Party tomorrow night. Have fun, sophs!!!

Stephen C. Bitgood In Training Exercise

7TH INFANTRY DIV., KO-REA (AHTNC)—Army Pvt. Stephen C. Bitgood, son of Mr. and

Mrs. John C. Bitgood, Jr., 1010 Suffield St., Agawam, and other members of the 7th Infantry Division participated in exercise SPRING THAW, a six-day field training exercise in Korea ending March 21.

The exercise stressed day and night maneuvers with opposing units from the division clashing in mock battles for 48-hour periods.

Bitgood, assigned to Company D, in the division's 7th Medical Battalion in Korea, entered the Army in August 1963. He completed basic training at Fort Dix, N. J., was last stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and arrived overseas in February 1964.

The 22-year-old soldier, a 1959 graduate of Agawam High School, attended the University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

UNICO Thanks Participants

Joseph DePalo, chairman of Agawam Chapter UNICO National's second annual Macaroni Supper held recently in the Agawam Junior High School today publicly thanked all those who took part.

Mr. DePalo said more than 750 of the town's men and women attended the dinner, making it one of the most successful programs of its kind ever held in Agawam.

President Joseph Massucci of the chapter also expressed his appreciation for the fine turnout. He paid special thanks to the town's school department for allowing his organization to use the new cafeteria at the junior high school and for the "orderly manner in which school department crews worked with UNICO members in setting up the affair."

"Our scholarship and welfare fund received a considerable boost because so many of our townsfolk came to the macaroni supper," Mr. Massucci continued. "In addition to the diners and those who worked so hard for the dinner's success, wives of UNICO members deserve a hearty thank-you for the goods they baked and sold in conjunction with the dinner. We also thank all those persons who bought the baked goods," Mr. Massucci concluded.

The organization composed of Italian-American businessmen is now making plans for a Lollipop Sale next month the proceeds of which will be donated to the mental health campaign.

In addition, the ever-active organization is planning a public chicken barbecue in July at St. John's Field.

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come back. We have missed his fine calling and hope he will not have any more trouble with his throat in the future. The dance begins at 8 p.m. Call all your friends and relatives that square dance and make plans to meet at the Agawam Promenaders' Dance. It will be one of the seasons best. Don and Peg Dow will be dishing out something good at coffee break time.

NEXT DANCE AT F. H.

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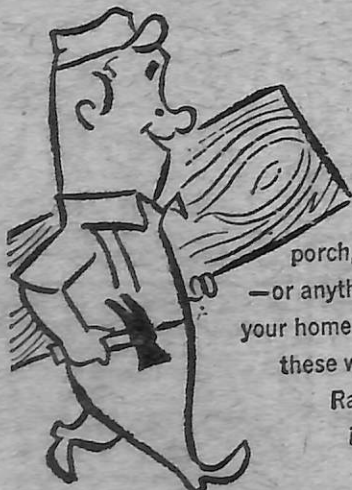
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Dr. Gettemy Guest Speaker for WSCS

On Monday evening, the 13th, at 8 in the Lay Memorial Methodist Church in Feeding Hills, The Woman's Society of Christian Service will present the well known lecturer and speaker, Dr. James N. Gettemy, president of the Hartford Seminary Foundation. Dr. Gettemy's topic will be "Hidden Power".

Dr. Gettemy is a native of Greensburg, Pa., and received his

A.B. degree at Alleghany College, and B.D. degree at Union Theological Seminary. He did graduate work at Columbia University, New York-School of Social Work and the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. He was awarded D. D. degree from Alleghany College and L. H. D. degree from Adelphi College.

Dr. Gettemy served a Garden City Community Church in New York as associate minister and minister from 1944 to 1958 when he left to become president of the

Hartford Seminary Foundation. The Woman's Society of Christian Service Church would like to share this privilege to hear such a well known speaker as Dr. Gettemy and a cordial invitation is extended to the public.

William Foakes In Mt. Training

CAMP LEJEUNE, N. C. (FHTNC) — Marine Private First Class William R. Foakes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Foakes of 453 Springfield St., Agawam, participated March 1-13 in mountain training in Western North Carolina while serving with the Second Reconnaissance Battalion of the Second Marine Division, Fleet Marine Force based at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

The battalion, the "eyes and ears" of the division gathers reconnaissance information and serves in advance units.

Camp Lejeune, home of the Second Marine Division since the end of World War II, is the largest Marine Corps installation on the East Coast.

Francis Way Begins Basic at Great Lakes

GREAT LAKES, Ill. (FHTNC) — Francis E. Way, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Way of 56 Valentine Ter., Agawam, has begun basic training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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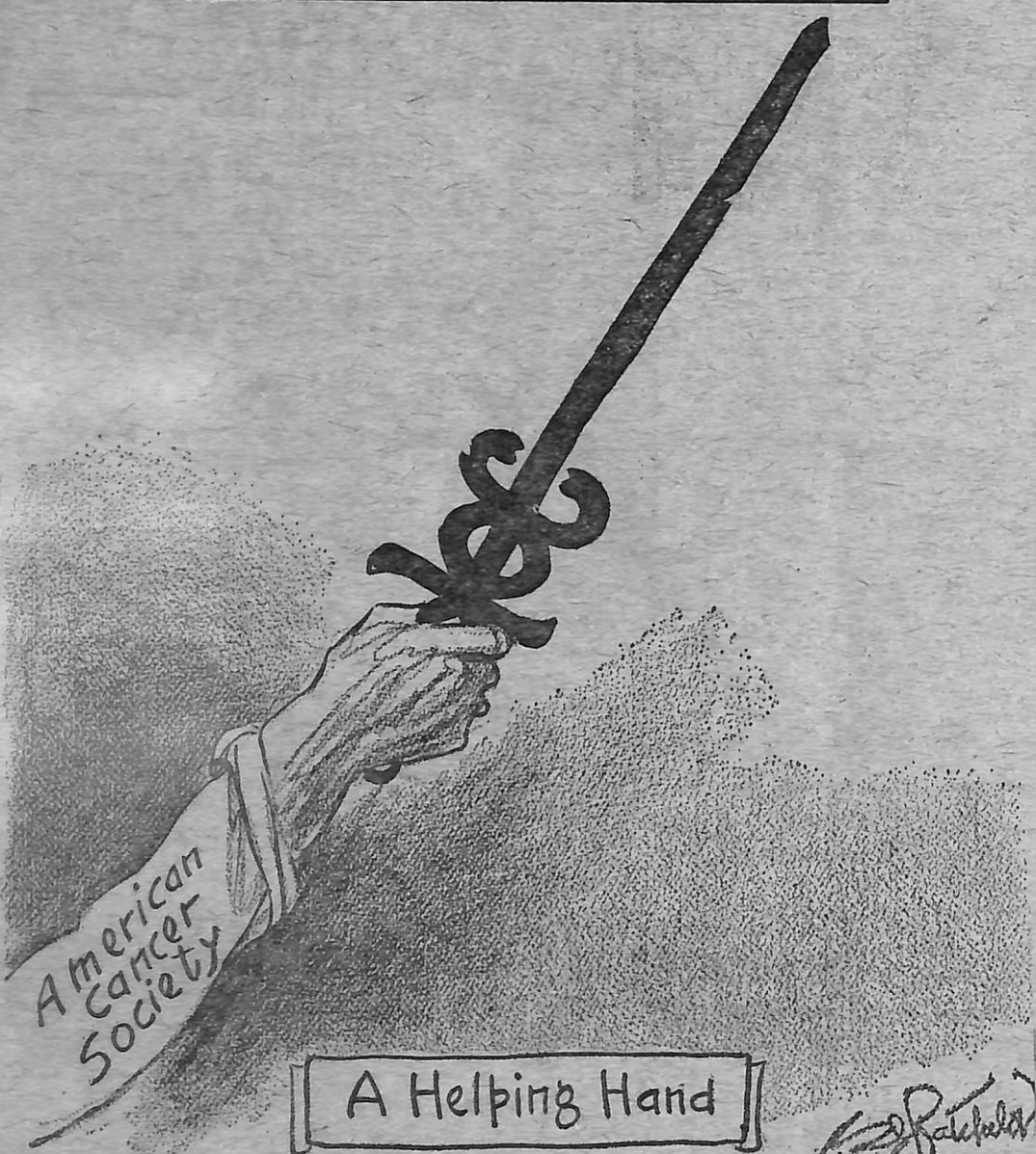
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